

SB 4 HINES LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS  
Constitutional amendment to provide for consideration of certain matters during regular sessions in even-numbered years. (2/3-CA13s1(A))  
Notice of Senate rejecting House amendments.  
Notice of Senate conferees appointed.  
House conferees appointed: BRUNEAU, LANCASTER, DEWITT.

SB 26 B JONES JUDGES  
Provides for an additional judge for the Third Judicial District Court. (gov sig) (2/3-CA5s15(D))  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 39 MCPHERSON LOCAL OFFICIALS  
Provides that the town of Woodworth shall appoint rather than elect their chief of police.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

SB 119 THEUNISSEN PUBLIC CONTRACTS  
Provides for retainage bonds in public works contracts. (gov sig)  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 132 LAMBERT JUDGES  
Provides relative to the salary of the judge of the Ascension Parish Court. (gov sig)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

SB 148 ULLO CORONERS  
Authorizes physician coroner to pronounce death based on certain information received.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

SB 154 HAINKEL CORONERS  
Permits, rather than requires, the state to pay supplemental compensation to coroners.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SB 176 BOISSIERE STATE EMPLOYEE RET  
Repeals State Employees' Retirement System's disability rehabilitation program. (gov sig)  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 177 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS  
Provides for changes in definitions for "actuarial interest," "employer," "job appointment," "prior service," and "spouse," and provides clarification of part-time service and statutes that apply to disability. (gov sig)  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 216 CAIN PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT  
Creates and establishes a pilot program to determine the cost effectiveness of transferring certain geriatric inmates to private nursing homes.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.

SB 220 HINES WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
Excludes landmen from workers' compensation coverage.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

SB 269 DUPRE SHRIMP/SHRIMPING  
Provides for spring brown shrimp seasons in Zone 2. (gov sig)  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 278 DARDENNE WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
Includes occupational therapists as health care providers in the workers' compensation law.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

SB 279 DARDENNE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE  
Authorizes administrative law judges to conduct certain adjudications or conferences by electronic means.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 280 DARDENNE SCHOOLS  
Provides that health and welfare trust funds established by school boards are subject to oversight and legislative auditor's review.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the

Committee on EDUCATION.

- SB 300 CHAISSON LOCAL OFFICIALS  
Requires a minimum salary paid by the parish governing authority for certain justices of the peace and constables.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SB 336 MICHOT JUDGES  
Provides for salary of commissioners at 90% of district judge's salary. (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 340 DUPRE PUBLIC LANDS  
Authorizes Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to transfer certain tracts of land in Terrebonne Parish to Fire Protection District No. 6 of Terrebonne Parish. (gov sig)  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 352 MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS  
Provides for the transfer of certain lands in Catahoula Parish from the office of state lands to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 362 DUPRE SEINES/NETS  
Provides relative to the size of certain nets used in shrimping.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 366 MCPHERSON PUBLIC LANDS  
Authorizes the secretary of the DOTD to transfer certain property to the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.  
Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 400 MALONE STUDENTS  
Includes the parish of Bossier in the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 416 MCPHERSON PUBLIC PROPERTY  
Authorizes the secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the commissioner of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to exchange certain properties.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 431 MICHOT LIABILITY  
Provides that damages shall include any taxes paid by the owner on the property damaged.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.
- SB 439 DARDENNE HIGHER EDUCATION  
Changes the student member terms of office to the Board of Regents and the postsecondary education management boards to begin on June 1 of each year. (gov sig)  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- SB 442 DARDENNE CIVIL PROCEDURE  
Coordinates Code of Evidence with Federal Rules of Evidence.  
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 451 BOISSIERE PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET  
Provides with respect to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System of Louisiana. (1/1/02)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 561 C FIELDS JUDGES  
Creates an additional judgeship in the Nineteenth Judicial District. (gov sig)  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.
- SB 570 ULLO DEATH/MORTALITY  
Provides for the release of human remains.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SB 571 ULLO MUNICIPALITIES  
Authorizes presiding officer of mayor's courts in Lawrason Act municipalities to use probation in punishment for violation of municipal ordinances.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

SB 579 ULLO FISH/FISHING  
Provides for the labeling of shellfish sold under the name "crawfish".  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

SB 623 HAINKEL SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Increases the term of office for Tangipahoa Water District's Board of Commissioners.  
Called from the calendar.  
Designated duplicate of HB 323.  
Amended.  
Referred to the Legislative Bureau.

SB 627 MICHOT CONTRACTORS  
Provides relative to exemptions to the residential building contractors licensing law.  
Notice of Senate conferees appointed.

SB 651 HINES EMPLOYMENT  
Prohibits discrimination in employment due to genetic information.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

SB 667 MCPHERSON SPECIAL DISTRICTS  
Authorizes an increase in per diem payable to members of the sewerage district board in Rapides Parish.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

SB 694 HOYT TAX/TAXATION  
Authorizes all Enrolled Agents licensed by the U. S. Department of the Treasury to represent taxpayers in administrative matters.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

SB 708 MARIONNEAUX CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  
Releases commercial surety from bond obligations when the power of attorney number is not included on the notice of a judgment of bond forfeiture provided the surety timely provides notice that its missing and the clerk doesn't timely supply the number.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 713 ELLINGTON MALPRACTICE  
Provides relative to definitions with respect to nursing homes for purposes of medical malpractice claims.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 757 SCHEDLER MEDICAID  
Establishes the Medicaid School-Based Administrative Claiming Trust Fund (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 760 MICHOT PUBLIC LANDS  
Authorizes the state to transfer certain tracts of land in Lafayette Parish to Our Lady of Lourdes Regional Medical Center. (gov sig)  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 762 MALONE FUNDS/FUNDING  
Creates the Drought Protection Trust Fund.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 781 HINES HEALTH CARE  
Provides for the Louisiana Children's Health Insurance Program. (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 795 MARIONNEAUX CRIMINAL PROCEDURE  
Requires notice to be given to the defendant, surety of bail bonds, and the bondsman when the bail bond fixes the date of appearance when the defendant fails to appear or an appearance date is changed. (gov sig)  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

SB 820 HOYT RETIREMENT SYSTEMS  
Creates the Back Deferred Retirement Option Plan "Back DROP". (7/1/01)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 822 HAINKEL JUDGES

Provides for an additional judgeship and the office of commissioner in the 22nd Judicial District. (01/01/02)  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.

- SB 830 C ROMERO SHERIFFS  
Continues authority for sheriff fees in certain parishes. (gov sig)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SB 853 MCPHERSON COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES  
Recognizes and defines LSU-A as an institution authorized to offer baccalaureate degrees. (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
- SB 855 SCHEDLER EXCEPTIONAL PERSONS  
Creates the Disability Services and Supports System Planning Group.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SB 883 ELLINGTON FUNDS/FUNDING  
Establishes the Health Trust Fund. (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 892 CRAVINS SHERIFFS  
Continues authority for sheriff fees in certain parishes. (gov sig)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SB 933 DARDENNE CLERKS OF COURT RET  
Provides for retirement benefits for court reporters. (7/1/01)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 949 C D JONES CORONERS  
Provides for release of autopsy reports to next of kin upon completion of the report and prohibits release to the public if the next of kin objects.  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SB 973 MICHOT ELECTRONICS  
Revises certain laws to allow electronic transactions by certain state agencies. (7/1/01)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 980 BOISSIERE CLERKS OF COURT RET  
Removes the chairman of Senate Finance Committee as a voting ex-officio member of the governing board for the Louisiana Clerks of Courts Retirement System and Relief Fund.  
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments.
- SB 981 C D JONES PUBLIC UTILITIES  
Requires utility companies serving Ouachita Parish Correctional Facility to include their gross receipts before any computation of franchise fees owed the town of Richwood.  
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SB 984 HEITMEIER WORKERS' COMPENSATION  
Provides for methods of securing compensation to employees. (gov sig)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.
- SB 992 ULLO JUVENILES  
Adds certain judicial districts to the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SB 1000 C D JONES STATE EMPLOYEE RET  
Authorizes judge to purchase credit for service with Legal Aid Bureau.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 1008 CAIN STATE POLICE RET FUND  
Provides eligibility criteria for participation in the deferred retirement option plan.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 1024 DUPRE SHRIMP/SHRIMPING

Removes certain restrictions on the duration of the additional fee imposed when purchasing gear for the taking of shrimp.

Read by title, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- SB 1027      CHAISSON              COURTS  
Authorizes use of certain fees in courts of appeals to be used to defray the expense of employment benefits for court employees, including judges, as directed by the court.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 1029      C FIELDS                  FISCAL CONTROLS  
Authorizes the use of deposit guaranty bonds as security for deposits of state funds.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SB 1041      SCHEDLER              MUNICIPAL POL EMPS RET  
Authorizes members of the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System with a vested military benefit to purchase credit for that military service.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- SB 1046      ELLINGTON              TAX/TAXATION  
Requires public service companies to pay protested property taxes in full in order to appeal certain decisions of the tax commission and provides for a credit against future taxes if they win.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- SB 1080      DUPRE                  COURTS  
Provides for civil jurisdiction in certain city courts. (gov sig)  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
- SB 1104      B JONES                  REVENUE DEPARTMENT  
Expands the current authority of the secretary of the Department of Revenue to contract with private collection agencies to include in-state uncollectibles. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig)  
Received in the House from the Senate, rules suspended, read by title.
- SCR 10      C D JONES              HEALTH CARE  
Requests DHH to establish additional incentives to encourage physicians to enroll in the Medicaid program to improve access to health care for Medicaid eligible recipients.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- SCR 14      M SMITH                  LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS  
Encourages the display of the national motto of the United States, "In God We Trust".  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- SCR 57      SCHEDLER              COMMITTEE STUDIES  
Establishes the Task Force on Local Funding Certification to study and make recommendations on resources available for use as funds for which federal matching funds are allowed.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- SCR 61      DARDENNE              COMMITTEE STUDIES  
Creates a task force to review the disproportionate caseload in First Circuit Court of Appeal and suggests solutions.  
Read by title, amended, passed to 3rd reading.
- SCR 64      C ROMERO                  CONGRESS  
Memorializes Congress to increase federal aid to Louisiana farmers.  
Read by title, passed to 3rd reading.
- SCR 75      GAUTREAU              INDIAN AFFAIRS  
Recognizes three tribes in Louisiana as Indian tribes and recognizes a confederation of Indian tribes.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ADMIN CRIM JUSTICE.
- SCR 91      HEITMEIER              COMMITTEE STUDIES  
Requests the Joint Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to conduct study of both deep draft and shallow draft ports throughout the state.

Received in the House from the Senate.

- SCR 94 SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE  
Requests DHH, LSU Health Sciences Center-Health Care Services Division, and the University Hospitals at Shreveport to study and make recommendations on a common acute care hospital payment methodology.  
Received in the House from the Senate.
- SCR 95 DUPRE COMMITTEE STUDIES  
Requests study of the manner in which presidential electors are elected.  
Received in the House from the Senate.
- SCR 101 C D JONES COMMITTEE STUDIES  
Directs joint study of the need for the division of administrative law to conduct all administrative hearings.  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- SCR 111 MCPHERSON COMMENDATIONS  
Commends Riley B. King, a.k.a. BB King, for sharing his music all over Louisiana.  
Read by title, concurred in.
- SCR 112 CRAVINS CONDOLENCES  
Extends condolences upon the death of Mr. Wilson "Boozoo" Chavis.  
Read by title, concurred in.
- SCR 113 HAINKEL CONDOLENCES  
Extends sincere condolences upon the death of Marjory Barbier Ourso.  
Received in the House from the Senate.
- SCR 114 M SMITH COMMENDATIONS  
Acknowledges the city of Natchitoches, the Natchitoches Area Chamber of Commerce, and the citizens of Natchitoches Parish on the Natchitoches Christmas Festival's 75th year celebration.  
Received in the House from the Senate.
- SCR 115 C FIELDS CONDOLENCES  
Expresses condolences upon the death of Jesse N. Stone, Jr.  
Received in the House from the Senate.
- HB 16 BRUNEAU ELECTIONS/RECALL  
Provides that a recall petition is a public record and the chairman of the recall is the custodian  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 33 BRUNEAU LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS  
Requires two printed copies and one electronic copy of reports required or requested to be submitted to the legislature to be filed with the David R. Poynter Legislative Research Library  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 49 FRITH HUNTING/DEER  
Authorize use of magnified scope on muzzleloaders  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 76 NEVERS BOATS/SHIPS/VESSELS  
Requires registration of outboard motors  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 82 CURTIS LOCAL OFFL/MARSHALS  
Increases court costs in criminal cases for funding the office of the marshal of the City Court of Alexandria  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 95 ANSARDI WILDLIFE/FEES  
Provides for senior hunting and fishing licenses  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HB 134 POWELL RETIREMENT/TEACHERS  
Authorizes the retroactive recalculation of certain members' disability benefits  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 136 BROOME RETIREMENT/STATE EMPs  
Authorizes employees of the East Baton Rouge Parish Housing Authority to become members of the system

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 154 R CARTER RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP  
Changes the beginning date for payment of interest on DROP account from the date that employment is terminated to the date that DROP participation is terminated  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 156 CAZAYOUX RETIREMENT/TEACHERS  
Repeals provision requiring the taking and passing of the National Teacher Examination prior to reemployment of certain retirees under the "critical teacher shortage law"  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 190 ODINET FISHING/COMMERCIAL  
Provides relative to a site-specific, limited strike net fishery for the taking of black drum  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 47, nays 45. Failed to pass, motion to reconsider pending.
- HB 218 R CARTER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Removes the requirement that a retiree must have attained at least age 55 to be eligible for cost-of-living adjustments (COLAs)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 232 McCALLUM COURTS/COURT COSTS  
Defines political subdivision for the purpose of advancing court costs  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 245 BAYLOR SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES  
Prohibits (with exceptions) using as an identifier, requiring on documents, and providing access to the social security numbers of school employees (public and nonpublic) and exempts (with exceptions) such members from public records law  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.
- HB 260 DURAND RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE  
Provides retroactive eligibility for survivor benefits in limited circumstances where surviving spouse was married to decedent for less than two years prior to death  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 310 MONTGOMERY FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS  
Phases out nursing home bed fee  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.
- HB 332 PERKINS EDUCATION  
(Constitutional Amendment) Provides for BESE to develop and propose to the legislature, rather than adopt, the MFP formula, and permits legislative amendment of the MFP formula  
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 338 DANIEL MINERALS/LEASES  
Provides for mineral leases on newly created water bottoms  
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 339 DANIEL WITNESSES/CIVIL  
Provides limitation of immunity for expert witnesses  
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 384 McMAINS CIVIL/PLEADINGS  
Repeals the provision which prohibits the pleading of a specific monetary amount of damages  
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 417 DURAND MUNICIPAL/ANNEXATION  
Prohibits certain annexation of territory in St. Martin Parish by the town of Broussard without approval of the parish  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 418 DURAND MUNICIPAL/ANNEXATION  
Provides relative to certain annexation of territory in St. Martin Parish  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 471 GALLOT FUNDS/FUNDING  
Dedicates certain state sales tax collections to the Claiborne Parish Tourism and Economic Development Fund

Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 479 MURRAY RETIREMENT/CLERKS COURT  
Authorizes the purchase of credit for certain service as a clerk of court by payment of the employee contributions  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 482 PRATT SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES  
Provides relative to the investigation of school employees accused of irregularities or improprieties in administering standardized tests  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 489 CRANE EDUCATION/SPECIAL  
Provides relative to procedures for hearings and appeals regarding the provision of special education and related services to children with exceptionalities  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 508 DANIEL FUNDS/INVESTMENTS  
(Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes institutions of higher education or their management boards to invest certain of their funds in stocks  
Reported with amendments. (10,0) (Regular) To be recommitted to the committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.

HB 523 McMAINS INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
Provides for appointment of the commissioner of insurance  
Discharged from the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.  
Withdrawn from the files of the House.

HB 529 WELCH RETIREMENT BENEFITS  
Authorizes the payment of cost-of-living adjustments to disability retirees of certain systems who are under age 55 and to beneficiaries of such retirees (applied retroactively to July 1, 1999)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 564 GALLOT RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP  
Authorizes including supplemental salary and certain fees, commissions, and allowances for retirement purposes, but applicable only to the city marshal and his deputies in Bossier City and Ruston  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 568 KENNARD RETIREMENT/DISTRICT ATTY  
Authorizes any member of the board of trustees who is an assistant district attorney who retires before the expiration of the term for which he was elected to continue to serve for the remainder of his term  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 569 McCALLUM WILDLIFE & FISHERIES  
Provides for special nonresident hunting and fishing licenses for members of the outdoor press  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 98, nays 0. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the members elect, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 577 PERKINS STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHIP  
Grants TOPS eligibility to otherwise qualified graduates of out-of-state high schools that meet BESE non-public school standards and are accredited by certain regional accrediting organizations  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.

HB 590 MONTGOMERY RETIREMENT/TEACHERS  
Provides regarding eligibility of employees of the Louisiana High School Athletic Association and the Louisiana Association of Educators to be members of the system  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 591 MONTGOMERY RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Provides an option for continuing a lifetime benefit to a designated beneficiary and then, upon the beneficiary's death, to the guardian of the member's mentally handicapped child  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.



HB 635 MCVEA DISTRICTS/SPECIAL  
Adds East and West Feliciana to the Capital Area Human Services District  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 692 BRUCE DISTRICTS/SPECIAL  
Prohibits diversion of certain ambulance service funds in DeSoto Parish  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - local and consent calendar

HB 730 JOHNS TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL  
Excludes from local sales and use taxes the purchase, lease, or rental of tangible personal property when such sale, lease, or rental is made under the provisions of Medicare  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 756 MURRAY LOCAL FINANCE  
Provides relative to sales tax increment financing of economic development projects in certain municipalities  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 762 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Provides for the issuance of a conditional video draw poker license within 90 days of submission of a completed application or finding of unsuitability  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 73, nays 23. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 766 FAUCHEUX FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for reallocation of monies in the St. John the Baptist Convention Facility Fund  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 767 MARTINY CORRECTIONS/PRISONERS  
Provides for participation of prisoners in criminal or civil proceedings  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Called from the calendar.  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 91, nays 7. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 777 TRICHE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS  
Requires the system to provide certain information upon request regarding an active member's employer, salary, service credit, and benefits payable to his DROP account  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 803 DONELON INSURERS  
Provides for investments by domestic insurers  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 809 FRITH INTEREST RATES  
Requires banks to pay their prevailing rate of interest on political subdivision funds invested in time certificates of deposit  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 822 DONELON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Provides for types of health insurance coverages subject to assessment of fees for the state's HIPAA pool  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 823 DONELON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Increases the cap on assessment of health insurers for certain enforcement duties of the insurance commissioner  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 828 FAUCHEUX COURTS/COURT COSTS  
Provides for limitations of the costs of filing certain pleadings and appeals  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 831 JOHNS INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Revises definition of health and accident insurance  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 839 McMAINS CORPORATIONS  
Provides relative to the application of the single business enterprise theory  
Discharged from the Committee on CIVIL LAW&PROCEDURE.  
Withdrawn from the files of the House.

HB 841 GUILLORY DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL  
Changes the membership of the board of commissioners of the North Lake Charles Economic Development District  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 842 HAMMETT MUSEUMS  
Creates the Louisiana Delta Music Museum in the Department of State  
Reported with amendments (9-1) (Regular)

HB 844 JOHNS CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL  
Provides for promotional employment lists for the police service of the city of Sulphur  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 858 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Provides relative to eligibility for participation in the Louisiana High Risk Health Insurance Pool  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 859 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Continues applicability of law relative to aggregate lifetime and annual limits on mental health benefits  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 878 JOHNS INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Provides relative to the Louisiana Health Care Commission  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 953 GUILLORY UNEMPLOYMENT COMP  
Requires the secretary of the Department of Labor to make appointments to the unemployment compensation appeals referee  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 984 HAMMETT TAX/SALES-USE, STATE  
Increases effective period for advance sales tax exemption  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 985 HAMMETT TAX/TAXATION  
Authorizes collection of federal refund offset fees  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 988 HAMMETT REVENUE DEPARTMENT  
Authorizes the Department of Revenue to require electronic filing of tax returns or reports for certain taxpayers  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 989 HAMMETT TAX/INCOME TAX  
Increases the Department of Revenue's fee for income tax refund offsets  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 994 HAMMETT TAX/SALES & USE  
Enacts the Uniform Sales and Use Tax Administration Act  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.  
Received from the Senate without amendments.

HB 1015 WRIGHT FUNDS/FUNDING  
Provides for reallocation of monies in the LaSalle Economic Development District  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1028 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Establishes the Back Deferred Retirement Option Plan (Back-DROP) and repeals the regular Deferred Retirement Option Plan (DROP)  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1030 LEBLANC PROCUREMENT

Allows the state central purchasing agency to participate in cooperative purchasing and utilize GSA pricing schedules as state contracts

Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1031	LEBLANC	PROCUREMENT	Expands the definition of professional services to include services performed by actuaries Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1034	LEBLANC	HOUSING/AUTHORITIES	Provides that housing authorities are not state agencies for purposes of participation in the state risk management program Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1041	McMAINS	CHILDREN/ADOPTION	Provides relative to domiciliary requirements in adoption proceedings Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
HB 1067	MURRAY	COUNSELORS	Provides for the Employee Assistance Professional Licensure Act Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.
HB 1068	WINSTON	CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL	Provides relative to the employment and promotion of members of the classified service Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1076	HAMMETT	ASSESSORS	Provides relative to the requirements for certification of assessors Received from the Senate without amendments. Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB 1108	McMAINS	COURTS/COMMISSIONERS	Provides for the salaries of commissioners of judicial district courts who are paid by the state Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
HB 1111	PINAC	ASSESSORS	Deletes certain obsolete election provisions and provides relative to the filing of bonds and oaths of office for assessors Received from the Senate without amendments. Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB 1119	PINAC	ASSESSORS	Provides for additional types of insurance and penalties for delinquent payments to the Assessors' Insurance Fund Received from the Senate without amendments. Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
HB 1140	CLARKSON	INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID	Provides for direct access to mammography Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB 1146	ANSARDI	TAX/LOCAL	Authorizes the city of Kenner to impose a local tax on the lease or rental of automobiles Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1150	WINSTON	PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST	Authorizes the St. Tammany Parish School Board to name the stadium at Covington High School in honor of a specified living person Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 97, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
HB 1155	GUILLORY	TOURISM/COMMISSION	Provides for representation of African Americans on the board of directors of the Southwest Louisiana Convention and Visitors Bureau Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1163	GUILLORY	PROPERTY/PUBLIC	Authorizes the city of Lake Charles to develop its lakefront property for commercial purposes Becomes HB 2060.
HB 1164	LUCAS	DISTRICTS/INDUSTRIAL	

Provides relative to the New Orleans Business and Industrial District, including provisions relating to the boundaries and the composition of the board of commissioners  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

- HB 1178 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Provides with respect to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 78, nays 15. The bill, having received two-thirds vote of the members elect, was finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1183 STELLY FUNDS/FUNDING  
Specifies certain fiscal year-end financial information reporting deadlines  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)
- HB 1193 MURRAY WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Provides for the calculation of average monthly wages and for termination of supplemental earnings benefits  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.
- HB 1205 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Removes the maximum monthly limit applicable to COLAs, increases the minimum monthly COLA, and deletes the requirement that the actuary determine the normal funding requirements of the fund before a COLA is granted  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 1209 LANCASTER ADMIN LAW/DIVISION  
Provides for attorney fees in successful actions relative to the conduct of an adjudication required to be conducted through the division of administrative law  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1211 PRATT HISTORIC PRESERVATION  
Excepts new construction and demolition from the exemption of certain property in the Garden District area of New Orleans from the application of laws relative to historic preservation districts and landmark commissions  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1214 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Authorizes the purchase of credit for military service by payment of employee contributions only and based on the rate of pay that is contemporaneous to the date of the service  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 1215 ERDEY RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Allows certain employees of DED to retire with 20 years of service regardless of age and with no actuarial reduction of benefits unless an option is selected to leave a lifetime benefit to a designated beneficiary  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 1218 KATZ BONDS/BAIL  
Increases the appearance bond fee payable to municipal chiefs of police  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1222 MORRELL TRAFFIC/VIOLATIONS  
Provides relative to parking citations issued to vehicles parked next to malfunctioning parking meters  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1261 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Provides that for certain video draw poker licenses if the license is transferred devices can still operate for defined period of time  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 75, nays 19. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1266 THOMPSON RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Provides for the reinstatement of service credit for legislative assistants who were subjected to an earnings-based enrollment requirement  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1276 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS

Provides for form, content and submission of the governor's executive budget recommendations

Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

- HB 1278 MORRELL PARISH/ORLEANS  
Creates the Canal Street Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1290 SWILLING PARISH/ORLEANS  
Creates the New Orleans East/Lake Forest Shopping Center Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1302 PITRE TAX/LOCAL  
Provides for taxation by parochial subdivisions within territory annexed by such subdivisions under certain circumstances  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1307 GUILLORY PROPERTY  
Authorizes governing authority of Calcasieu Parish to sell abandoned or adjudicated property without notification to political subdivisions  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1316 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER  
Defines "video gaming device"  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 63, nays 34. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1322 DANIEL FUNDS/INVESTMENTS  
Provides for investment of certain funds by higher education institutions  
Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
- HB 1330 MORRISH INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Exempts certain claims from limitations on review or audit by health insurers and health maintenance organizations  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.
- HB 1331 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS  
Provides for oversight related to performance-based budgeting and requirements for adjustment, reporting, and monitoring of performance data  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)
- HB 1350 MCVEA SCHOOLS/BOARDS  
Relative to the Zachary community school system, provides for the date the system is to begin actual operation and for subsequent reapportionment of the East Baton Rouge Parish School  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 98, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1355 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Authorizes repayment of refunds in two separate repayment transactions  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.
- HB 1363 KATZ COURTS/COURT COSTS  
Provides for allocation of fees to defray costs of housing and maintaining prisoners and detainees  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HB 1364 J D SMITH GAMBLING/CHARITABLE  
Authorizes licensed charities to offer "pick-8" bingo games with mega jackpots under certain conditions  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.
- HB 1385 RIDDLE WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Provides payment of vocational rehabilitation expenses  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1386 DEWITT PRIVILEGES/LIENS  
Provides relative to privileges for the maintenance, repair, and storage of aircraft  
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)

HB 1395 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
State authorizes members of the Executive Career Service established by the Civil Service Commission to participate in the Optional Retirement Plan  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1396 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS  
Provides regarding the reemployment of retirees (No Governor's Exemption)  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1398 CLARKSON CHILDREN/SUPPORT  
Provides for the revision of the child support guidelines  
Reported with amendments (5-1) (Regular)

HB 1401 CRANE SCHOOLS/CHARTER  
Permits, as provided for in a charter, a nonprofit organization to contract with a for-profit organization to manage the charter school and allows delegation of authority over employment decisions at the charter school to the for-profit entity  
Received from the Senate without amendments.  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.

HB 1404 ERDEY CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL  
Provides relative to promotions within the classified service  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1442 LEBLANC ADMINISTRATION  
Establishes a collection policy and procedure to assist in the collection of obligations due to the state  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1446 FARRAR PARISHES/BOUNDARIES  
Provides relative to fixing the boundary between the parishes of Grant and Rapides  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1465 FARRAR WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Requires employers to post appeal bonds within time limits provided by the Code of Civil Procedure  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1474 CLARKSON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Requires recognition of assignment of health insurance benefits to health care providers  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.

HB 1488 HUDSON CIVIL/JURIES  
Increases compensation for jury commissioners  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1496 PITRE WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Imposes penalties for failure to pay installment or medical benefits  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1497 PINAC PEST CONTROL OPERATORS  
Provides that standard contracts for termite protection shall be transferable to purchasers of property under contract  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1499 QUEZAIRE COURTS/COURT COSTS  
Provides funding for legal assistance programs  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

HB 1516 McMAINS WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Provides procedures for constitutional challenges  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1522 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Authorizes a member to upgrade the benefit accrual rate that applies to transferred service and requires payment of the actuarial cost for upgrading such service  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1525 LUCAS PARISH/ORLEANS  
Creates the St. Claude Avenue Economically Disadvantaged Enterprise Zone  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1529 DAMICO RETIREMENT/SCHOOL EMPS  
Provides for the inclusion of both base pay and operational pay within the definition of the term "earnable compensation" for school bus operators  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1542 FRUGE RETIREMENT CREDIT/MILIT  
Allows judges to purchase judicial credit for certain military service and to apply such credit toward meeting the eligibility requirements for retirement and for calculating benefits  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1563 MARTINY GAMBLING/CHARITABLE  
Provides with respect to the regulation of charitable gaming  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 68, nays 30. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1574 R CARTER RETIREMENT/JUDGES  
Changes the date authorizing certain judges to transfer service credit from the District Attorneys' Retirement System to this system without paying the actuarial cost for such credit  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1602 McMAINS CHILDREN/ADOPTION  
Provides relative to adoption agencies and procedures of adoption  
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)

HB 1606 DAMICO FISHING/OYSTERS  
Provides for collection of production data from oyster lease holders for use in coastal restoration project planning  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 100, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HB 1610 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Authorizes retirement with 30 years of service at any age and increases employee and employer contributions  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1614 WADDELL EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT  
Excludes certain services from employment  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1639 LANCASTER ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE  
Provides with regard to the review of certain administrative decisions and orders  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.

HB 1640 LEBLANC PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST  
Energy management policy for agencies of the state  
Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1647 HEBERT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES  
Provides notice requirements for retail dealer's permits  
Becomes HB 2061.

HB 1652 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS  
Provides for an incentive program for gainsharing and rewards for state employees relative to performance based budgeting and other efficiency-related initiatives  
Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1665 LEBLANC BUDGETARY CONTROLS  
Provides relative to the elimination of a projected deficit or an actual deficit in any fund  
Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1699 SCHWEGMANN ANIMALS  
Provides relative to the Pet Overpopulation and Animal Welfare Fund and Commission  
Becomes HB 2062.

HB 1720 CLARKSON CIVIL/APPEALS  
Provides relative to judicial review of decisions of historic preservation commissions  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.

HB 1724 HUNTER INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Requires managed care organizations to provides standing referrals and continuity of care  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,

ordered to the Senate.

HB 1735 SCALISE WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Provides relative to workers compensation  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to  
3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1741 SCALISE WORKERS COMPENSATION  
To provide for declaratory judgments, mediation conferences,  
and publication of opinions  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1795 DAMICO FISHING/OYSTERS  
Provides for annual determination of projected impact areas of  
coastal restoration projects where leases may be renewed for  
less than fifteen years  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage,  
yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,  
ordered to the Senate.

HB 1802 SCALISE WORKERS COMPENSATION  
Relative to workers' compensation  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.

HB 1807 TRICHE FUNDS/FUNDING  
To provide for the amount of security to be furnished for  
appeals in matters relating to the tobacco settlement proceeds  
to be received by the state pursuant to the Master Settlement  
Agreement  
Reported favorably (10-1) (Regular)

HB 1810 DANIEL RETIREMENT/SHERIFFS FUND  
Authorizes the purchase of credit for active and reserve  
military service by payment of employee contributions only and  
based on the rate of pay that is specified relative to the date  
of the service  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 4.

HB 1816 TRICHE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR  
Relative to the legislative auditor, provides relative to  
issuing, receiving, and maintaining reports electronically;  
access to software and hardware; certain school board data; and  
functions of predecessor officers; and actuarial notes  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage,  
yeas 101, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,  
ordered to the Senate.

HB 1828 TOWNSEND PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS  
Revises the definition of "the practice of medicine, surgery,  
or midwifery"  
Read third time by title, amended, roll called on final  
passage, yeas 62, nays 30. Finally passed, title adopted,  
ordered to the Senate.

HB 1833 BRUNEAU PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS  
Relative to the procurement preferences in the Public Bid Law,  
provides for the definition of manufacturing or converting  
paper and paper products  
Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)

HB 1846 THOMPSON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES  
Defines "dealer" and provides for dealer permits  
Becomes HB 2063.

HB 1848 SALTER HIGHER EDUCATION  
Requires certain designations by each postsecondary managment  
board relative to domicile and agent for service of process  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage,  
yeas 102, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,  
ordered to the Senate.

HB 1849 M STRAIN ELECTION OFFENSES  
Prohibit the release of exit polling data prior to the closing  
of the polls on election day  
Read by title, rules suspended, action deferred.

HB 1851 QUEZAIRE PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS  
Authorizes the parish school board in certain parishes to name  
a football stadium in honor of a former principal and coach  
under certain circumstances  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage,  
yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted,  
ordered to the Senate.

HB 1855 RICHMOND MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS



Requires law enforcement agencies to report information relative to traffic citations

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 1857 LANCASTER LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR  
Provides for the audit of a justice of the peace and a constable of a justice of the peace court  
Read third time by title, roll called on final passage, yeas 99, nays 0. Finally passed, title adopted, ordered to the Senate.
- HB 1862 HOLDEN POLICE/MUNICIPAL  
Provides for longevity pay for employees of police departments of certain municipalities  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
- HB 1873 BRUCE MTR VEHICLE/SEAT BELTS  
Provides relative to the use of safety belts and child restraint in motor vehicles  
Read by title, reconsidered, returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- HB 1874 E ALEXANDER CREDIT/SALES  
Provides relative to credit sales of tobacco products and defines terms  
Discharged from the Committee on JUDICIARY.  
Withdrawn from the files of the House.
- HB 1877 MORRISH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT  
Provides for the violations of insurance laws, insurance fraud, unfair trade practices, civil immunity, and confidential information  
Returned to the calendar, under the rules.  
Notice given subject to call.
- HB 1878 RIDDLE ECONOMIC DEVEL/COMMUNITY  
Creates an economic development board in certain parishes to promote, encourage, and participate in economic development in the parishes  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1879 R ALEXANDER HEALTH SERVICES  
Provides for the creation of the Major Trauma Trust Fund and the dedication of a special charge on moving violations to the fund  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1882 POWELL INSURANCE  
Prohibits insurers from discriminating against employers based on the securing of workers' compensation obligation  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 1894 MURRAY PUBLIC RECORDS  
Exempts information transmitted by electronic mail from the Public Records Law  
Read by title, recommitted to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.  
By vote of 65 yeas, 29 nays.
- HB 1898 NEVERS CIVIL/PROCEDURE  
Eliminates issuance of temporary restraining order affecting interscholastic athletic contests  
Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 1899 M JACKSON EVIDENCE  
Provides relative to the admissibility into evidence of electronic records  
Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)
- HB 1900 KATZ MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES  
Repeals most provisions for special license plates and special prestige license plate  
Read by title, reconsidered, returned to the calendar, under the rules.
- HB 1913 M STRAIN ANIMALS  
Prohibits the unlawful transport of certain diseased animals adulterated meats and provides for penalties for violations  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 1916	FRUGE	BUDGETARY CONTROLS	Requires provision of certain information relating to employee positions funded in the General Appropriation Bill Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1917	QUEZAIRE	CIVIL/DAMAGES	Provides relative to the limitation of liability of owners of certain public parks Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)
HB 1920	DOWNER	PROCUREMENT	Authorizes any public entity to reject any bid for materials or supplies produced in the People's Republic of China Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1921	PITRE	DISTRICTS/TAXING	Creates a special taxing district known as the Grand Isle Assistance District Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1936	BOWLER	LABOR	Provides for registration of PEOs and defines the relationship between PEOs, covered employees, and clients Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.
HB 1941	SCALISE	PROPERTY/HISTORIC	Establishes the Louisiana War Monuments and Memorials Protection Act Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
HB 1943	TRICHE	MUSEUMS	Transfers the Edward Douglass White Historic Site to the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism from the Department of State Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - local and consent calendar.
HB 1957	LEBLANC	FUNDS/FUNDING	Provides relative to use of the State Parks Land Acquisition Trust Fund by the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism Reported favorably (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1962	RICHMOND	DISTRICTS/INDUSTRIAL	Provides relative to the New Orleans Business and Industrial District; including provisions pertaining to the name of the district, and membership of the board of commissioners Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1966	CAZAYOUX	TOURISM/COMMISSION	Repeals provision prohibiting tourist commissions from levying hotel occupancy tax on overnight camping facilities under certain conditions Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
HB 1981	DURAND	TAX/SALES-USE, STATE	Dedicates the remaining 1% state sales tax on hotel occupancy in St. Martin Parish Reported with amendments (10-0) (Regular)
HB 1982	GLOVER	FIRE PROTECT/FIREMEN	Provides relative to the minimum monthly salary of fire department employees in certain cities Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 1989	K CARTER	DISTRICTS/DOWNTOWN DEVEL	Provides relative to downtown development districts in certain cities Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 6.
HB 2009	LEBLANC	APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML	Appropriates funds to the University of Louisiana Board of Supervisors - Nicholls State University for repairs and improvements to facilities for the New Orleans Saints Training Camp Effective date 5-3-1.
HB 2020	MORRELL	JUVENILES	Authorizes the establishment and managment of regional or local area juvenile justice information sharing policy boards Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
HB 2031	LUCAS	HOLIDAYS	

Provides that June 19th is a legal holiday  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.

- HB 2055 MARTINY CORRECTIONS/PRISONERS  
Provides for the disposition of unclaimed property of prisoners by sheriffs  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 2056 SCALISE CAMPAIGN FINANCE DISCLOS  
Provides for limitations on expenditures of campaign funds and suspension from office as means of civil enforcement civil penalties imposed for violations of the Campaign Finance Disclosure Act  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 2057 FAUCHEUX DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION  
Creates the Louisiana Seniors Pharmacy Assistance Program  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 2058 HEBERT INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID  
Provides relative to billing of insureds and enrollees by health care providers  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 2059 DANIEL STUDENT/TUITION  
Permits public postsecondary education management boards to establish (within present limitations) proportional tuition and mandatory attendance fee amounts applicable to part-time students and to students enrolled for summer and intersessi  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.
- HB 2060 GUILLORY PROPERTY/PUBLIC  
Provides relative to the disposition of certain property in the city of Lake Charles  
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 1163.
- HB 2061 HEBERT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES  
Provides notice requirements for manufacturer's permits  
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 1647.
- HB 2062 SCHWEGMANN ANIMALS  
Creates the Louisiana Animal Welfare Commission and Fund  
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 1699.
- HB 2063 THOMPSON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES  
Defines "liquor retail distribution center" and provides for permits  
Read by title, substitute title adopted, lies over in the same order of business, substitute for HB No. 1846.
- HR 62 FAUCHEUX ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES  
Requests the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to provide rules and regulations for requiring disclosure of certain brands of alcohol used in frozen drinks  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:30 A.M. in comm. rm. 1.
- HR 74 HOLDEN COMMENDATIONS  
Commends B. B. King and welcomes him to Louisiana upon his performance in Lake Charles on Mother's Day 2001  
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 75 THOMPSON COMMENDATIONS  
To commend and congratulate Mr. Samuel Timothy McGraw who is receiving an honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters at the University of Monroe at Louisiana spring commencement  
Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HCR 5 DOWNER MEMORIALS  
Urges and requests Congress to urge the United States Postal Service to issue a Purple Heart Stamp  
Enrolled and signed by the Speaker of the House.
- HCR 47 CRANE RETIREMENT/TEACHERS

Directs the Public Retirement Systems' Actuarial Committee to study the cost of reemploying certain retired higher education faculty members and to furnish an annual report

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.

- HCR 64        HOLDEN                PUBLIC EMPLOYEES  
Creates the Living Wage Study Commission to study the wages and benefits of public service workers  
Scheduled to be heard on 5/17 at 9:00 A.M. in comm. rm. 5.
- HCR 85        LAFLEUR                FISHING/CATFISH  
Names Melville the Atchafalaya River Catfish Capital of Louisiana  
Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.
- HCR 93        THOMPSON               AGRICULTURE/MILK  
Memorialize congress to ratify the Southern Dairy Compact  
Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading.
- HCR 147       FLAVIN                CONDOLENCES  
Zydeco legend Wilson anthony "Boozoo" Chavis  
Received from the Senate without amendments.
- HCR 148       LEBLANC               INTERGOV RELATIONS  
Provides that the Louisiana Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations study services government should provide and the respective responsibilities of state and local government to provide and fund such services  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on HOUSE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HCR 149       ANSARDI                INSURANCE  
Directs the Louisiana Department of Insurance and the Louisiana State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors to study and make recommendations regarding funeral services insurance policies  
Read by title, under the rules, referred to the Committee on INSURANCE.
- HCR 150       QUEZAIRE               HIGHWAYS  
Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to undertake a planning study of the River Road between New Orleans and Baton Rouge and adjacent routes  
Read by title, lies over under the rules.